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LETTER REQUESTING APPROVAL TO AMEND THE DRAWINGS
AND SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

In accordance with U.S. Patent and Trademark Office procedures, enclosed are informal drawings of Figures 1, 9, 10, 11, 17, 18, 22, 23 and 24, with proposed amendments shown in red ink.

As indicated by the changes in red ink, Applicant requests approval to amend the drawings as follows:

IN FIGURE 1

At System 2, change "G15+G25, G17+18," to --G15+G25, G17+G28,--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 9

Change " ϕ Tadd" to -- ϕ add--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 10

Change “ ϕ Tadd” to $--\phi$ add--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 11

Change “ ϕ Tadd” to $--\phi$ add-- , as shown.

IN FIGURE 17

Change “STS1” to $--\phi$ TS1--, and change “STS2” to $--\phi$ TS2--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 18

Change “STS1” to $--\phi$ TS1--, and change “STS2” to $--\phi$ TS2--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 22

Change “ ϕ Tadd” to $--\phi$ add--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 23

Change “ ϕ Tadd” to $--\phi$ add--, as shown.

IN FIGURE 24

Change “ ϕ Tadd” to $--\phi$ add--, as shown.



FIG. 1

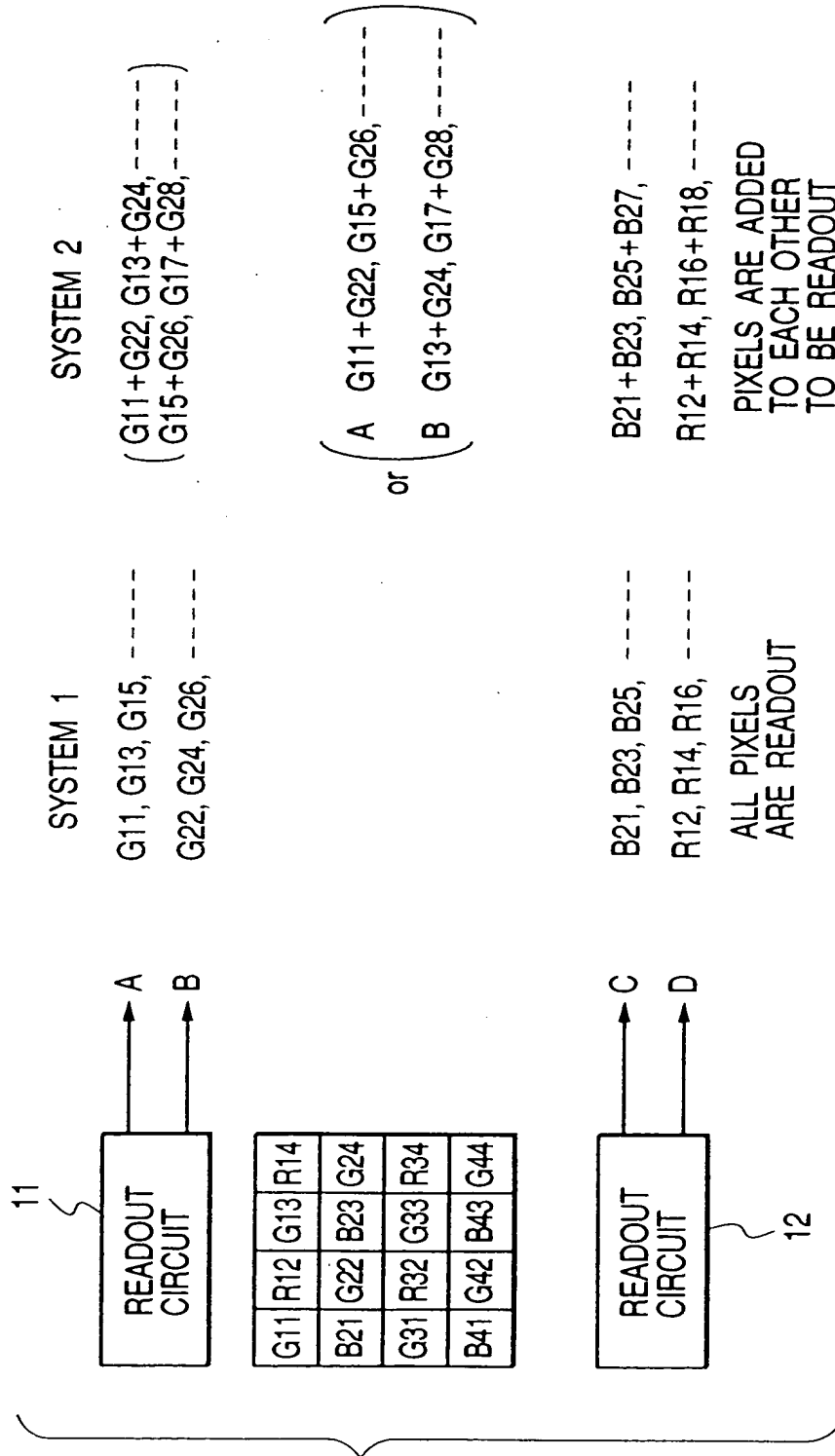


FIG. 9

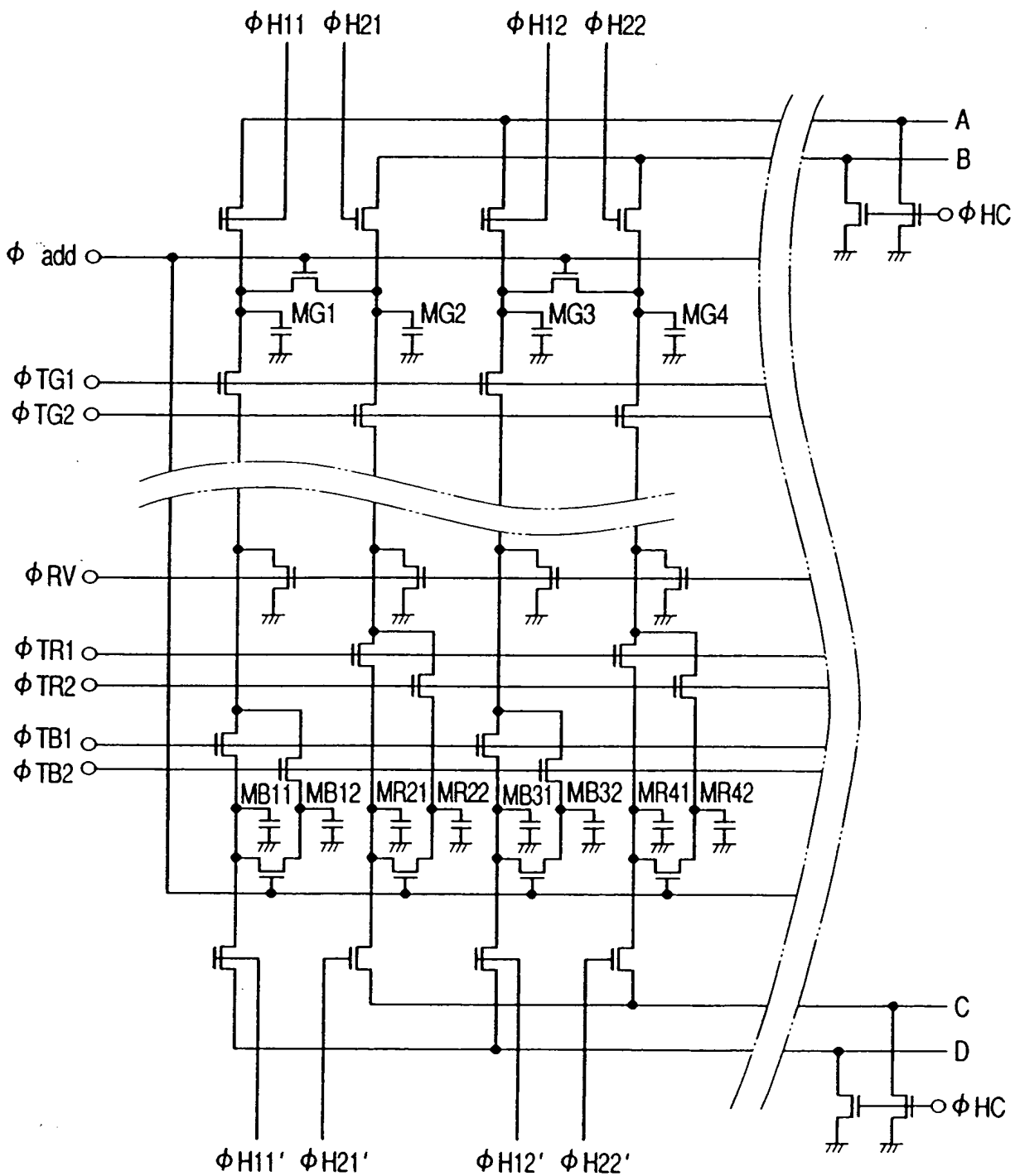


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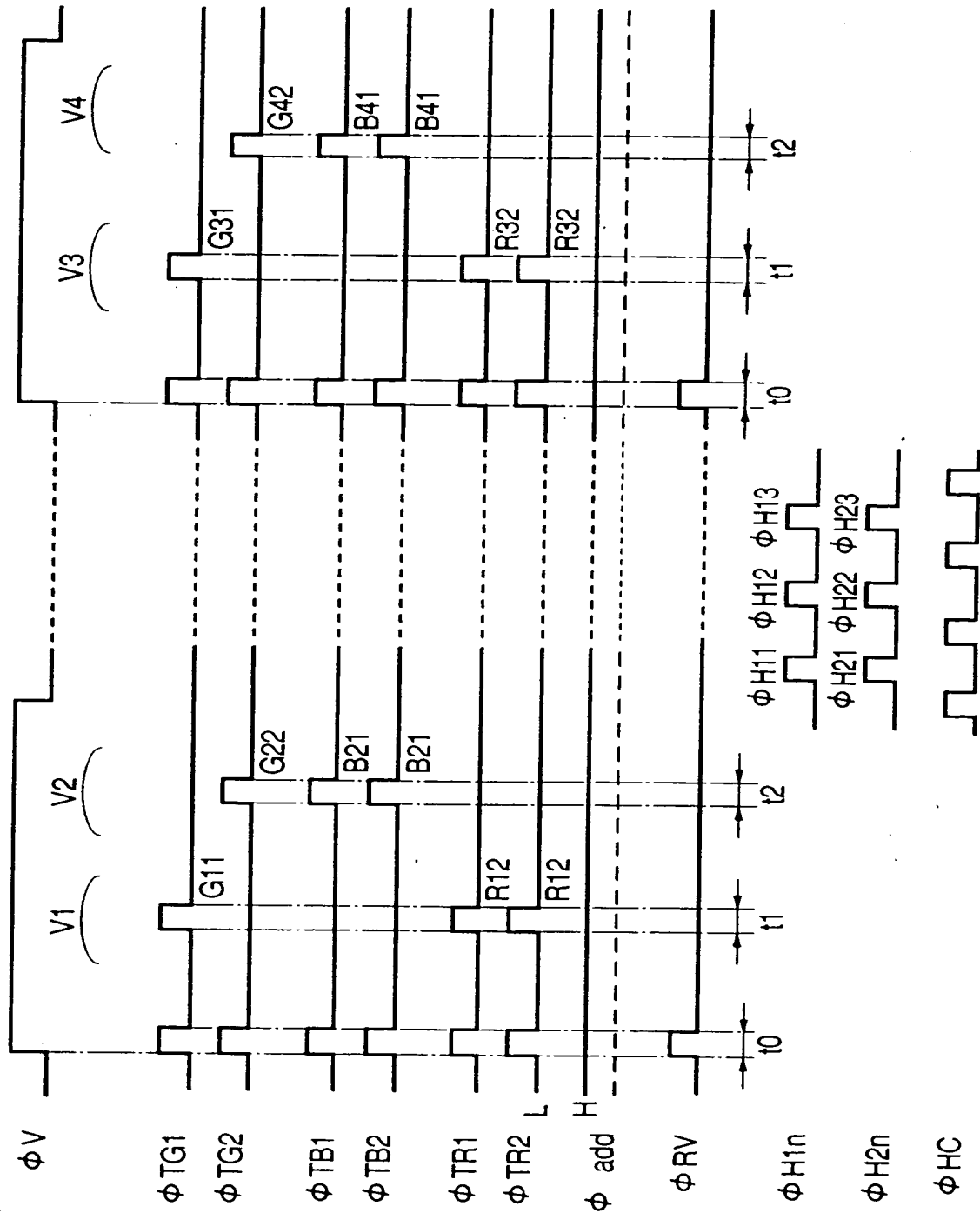
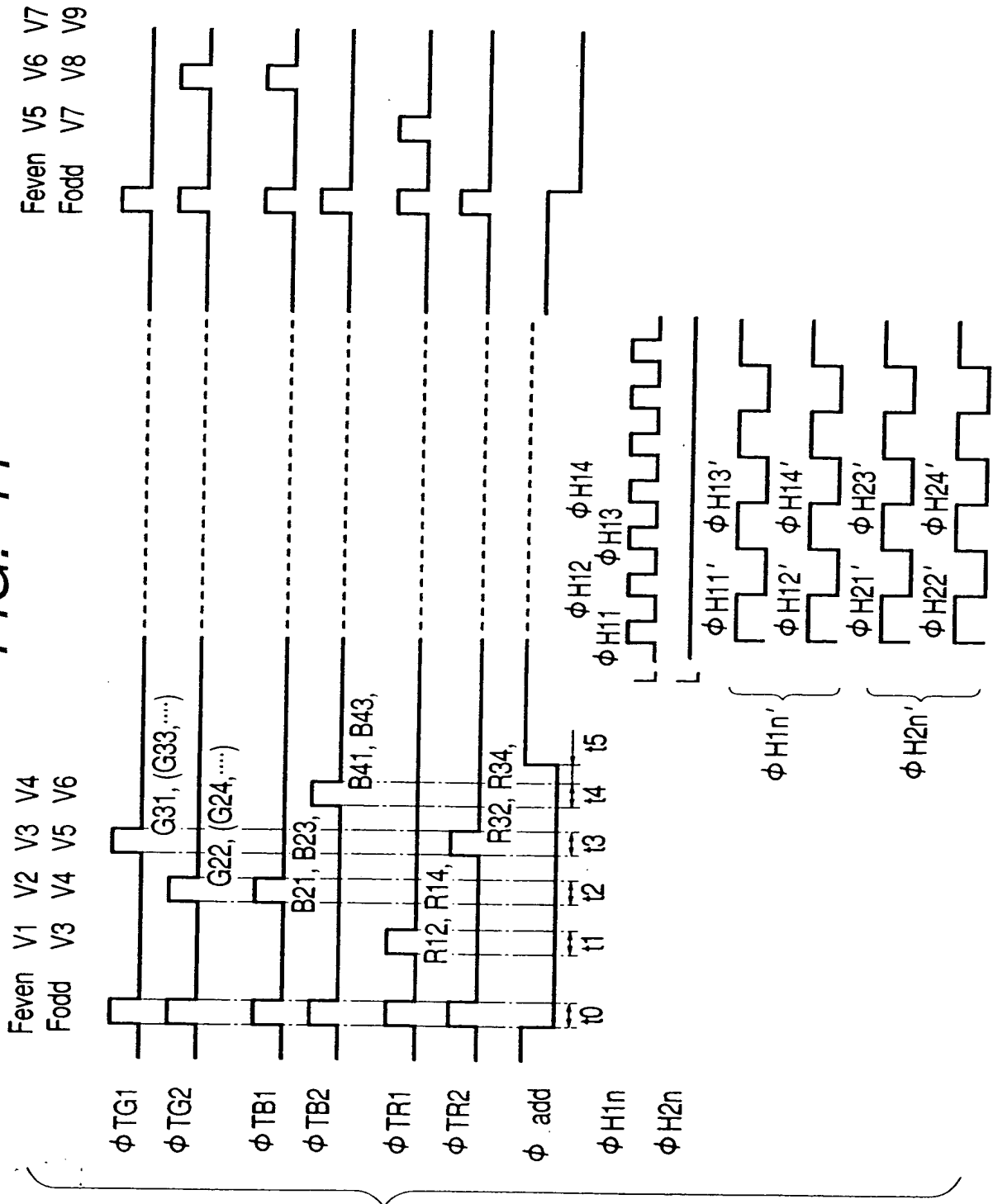




FIG. 11



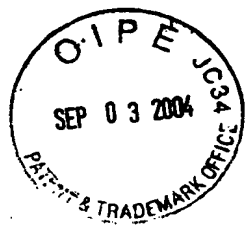
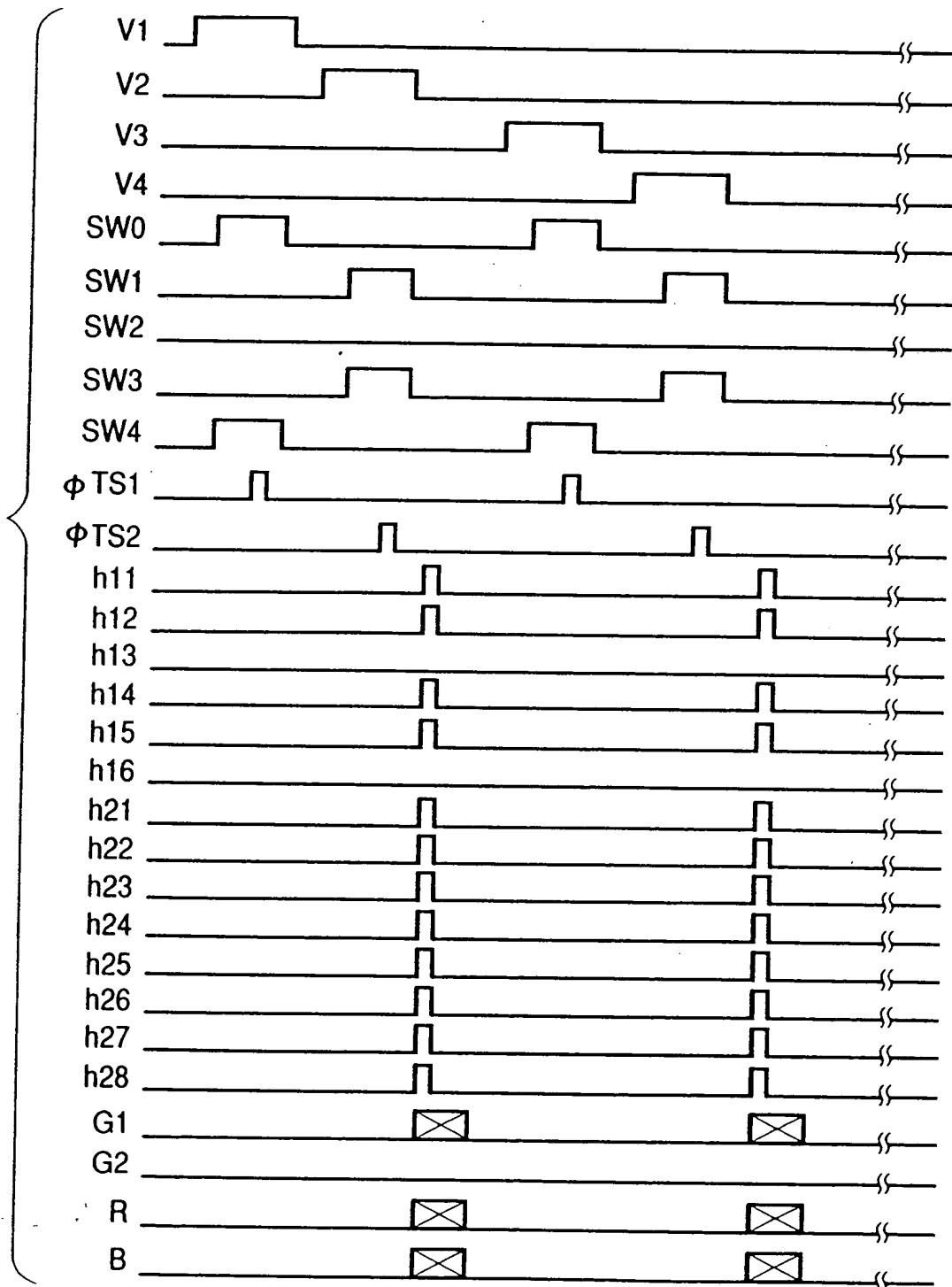
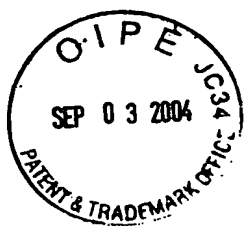


FIG. 17





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FIG. 18

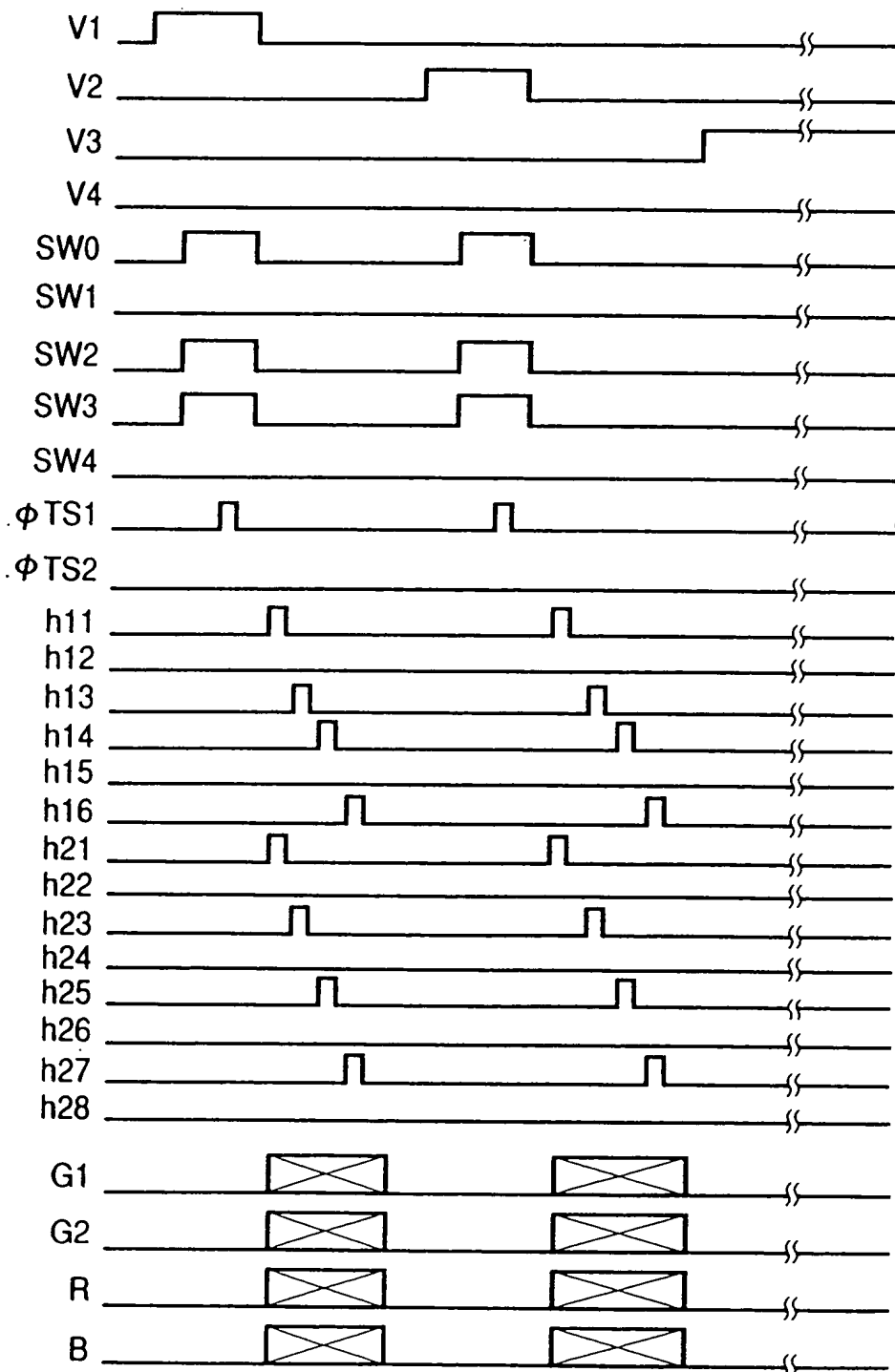


FIG. 22

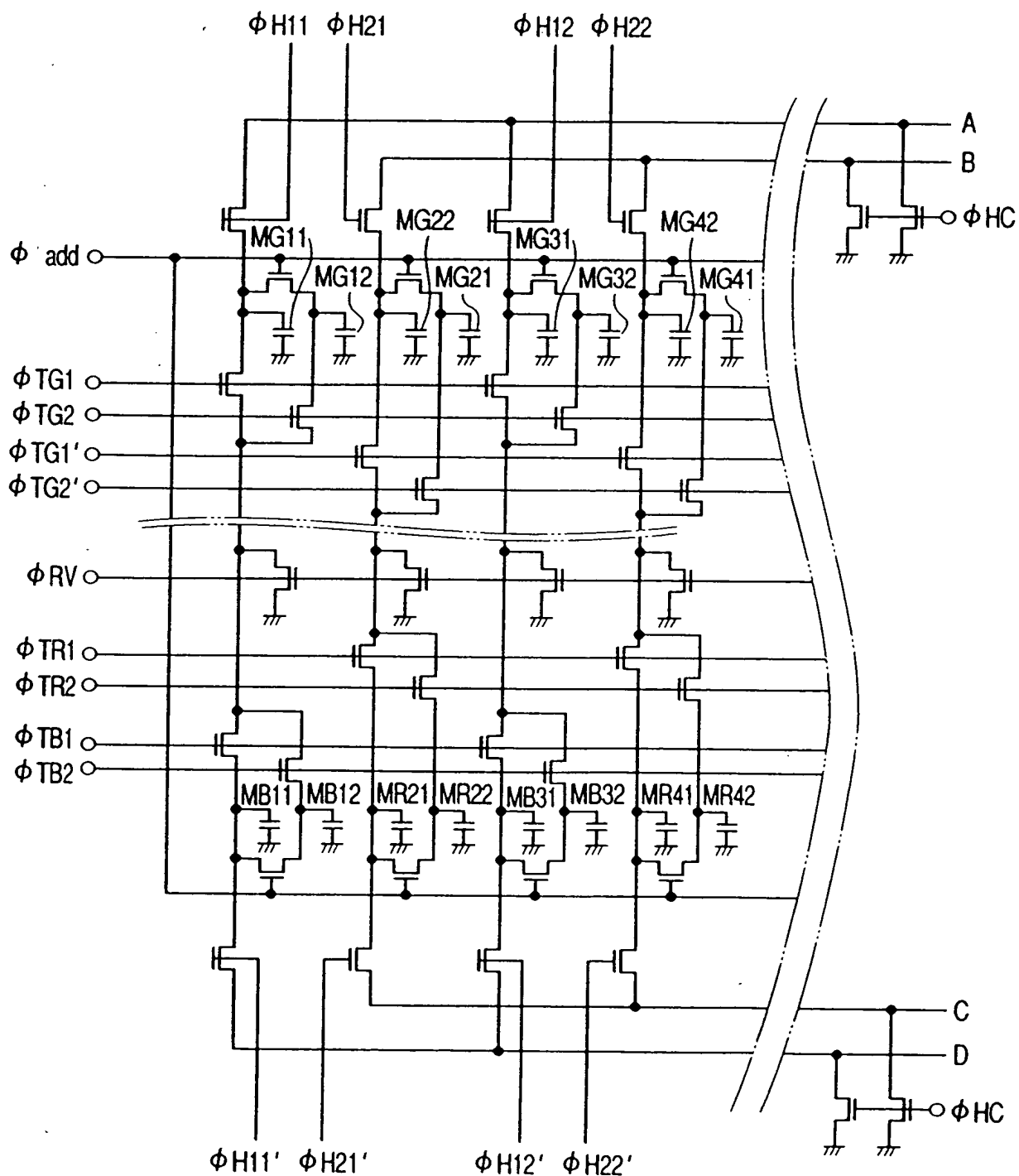




FIG. 23

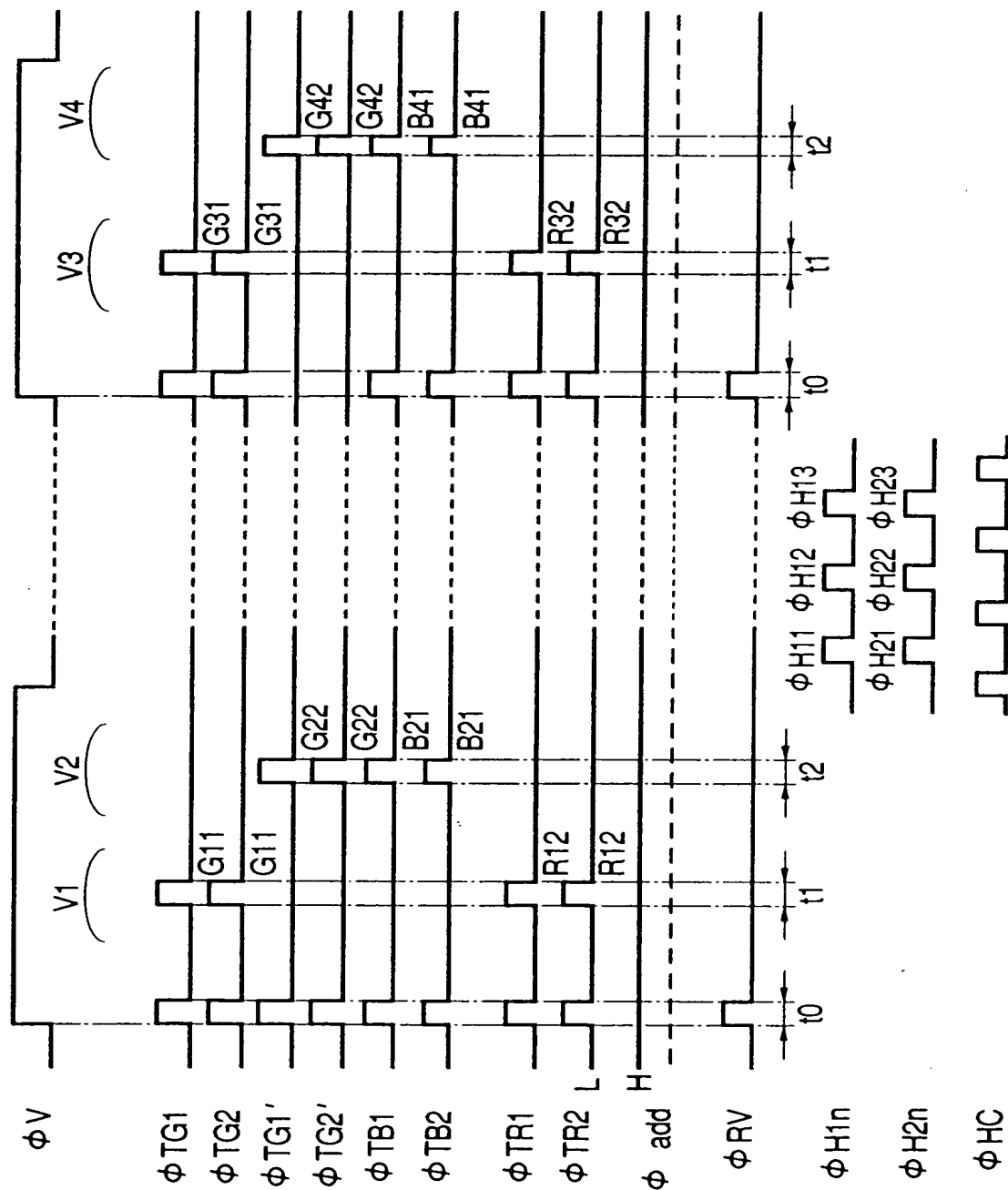


FIG. 24

